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Russ Henry and Althea Crapo
The Bug House
350 East 300 South
P.O. Box 1113
Delta, Utah 84624

Subject: Review of Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations, The Bug House, Treasure Chest Mine, S/023/0028, Juab County, Utah

Dear Mr. Henry and Ms. Crapo:

The Notice of Intention to Commence Small Mining Operations (NOI) for the Treasure Chest mine needs to be updated with current information and in accordance with current regulatory requirements. Items that need to be brought up to date include:

1. The operator name. The operator is currently listed as Loy Crapo. In the past, the Division has referred to the operator as The Bug House aka Loy Crapo, but The Bug House is not currently registered to do business in Utah. Please include a valid operator name. This can be an individual. It can also be another entity, such as a partnership, a limited liability company, or a corporation, but any entity other than a single individual must be registered to do business in Utah.
2. Maps. The Division needs two maps:
 - a. A detailed map showing disturbed area boundaries. The current maps show claims and not the disturbed area boundaries as required by regulation. According to the BLM, the mine consists of the west pit, 1.70 acres, and the east pit, 1.63 acres. These need to be shown on a map.
 - b. A general location map. The Division needs a map showing how to get to the site from a paved highway.

Copies of maps of the area are enclosed for your use. The aerial photos could be used to show details of the disturbance boundaries, and the topographic map can show the mine site location. Also enclosed is a blank copy of the NOI form. This form can also be obtained from the Division's web site at http://linux3.ogm.utah.gov/WebStuff/wwwroot/minerals/permit_forms.html.

The current reclamation surety is a certificate of deposit in the name of Althea and Shane Crapo. It can remain in the name of Althea and Shane Crapo.

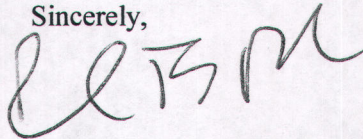
Please fill out and return the NOI form to the Division by November 20, 2015.



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Please call Wayne Western at 801-538-5263 if you have questions about this process. Thank you in advance for your cooperation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'PB' followed by a stylized flourish.

Paul Baker
Minerals Program Manager

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Enclosure: Maps and blank NOI form
cc: Todd Leeds, Fillmore BLM (tleeds@blm.gov)
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